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Neversllp Horse Shoes, Neversllp Calks, Horse nails, Just Received

Oyen Hardware Co., Ltd.
John Patterson, Managing Director.

Local Items

We have for sale one 5 h.p. and one 2½ h.p. gasoline engine. —Peterson Motor Company.

Wednesday last while threshing oats fire broke out in the barn, belonging to Herb. Hallman of Acadia Valley, which was completely destroyed. The loss is estimated at about $4,000. Fortunately the barn was covered by insurance. The feed, which would amount to quite a considerable sum, was an absolute loss. The cause of the fire remains a mystery, but it is thought that possibly it might have been spontaneous combustion.

J. Howard. Alexander was appointed on the executive of the Union Organization at the Convention held at Medicine Hat last Wednesday.

Mrs John Naismith entertained a number of friends to tea on Friday afternoon in honor of Mrs S. B. Lawrence who left the next day for Spaulding, Sask where she will visit her relatives, previous to going to Saskatoon to reside.

Mrs. C. Riel left on Tuesday for Vancouver, where she will spend the winter with her son.

If you can't go across—come across, Buy Victory Bonds.

The regular sewing meeting of the Oyen Red Cross Society will be held at the home of Mrs. R. E. Kelly on Thursday afternoon

Roy Sanders of section 33-27-5, Kickwall School, who has sold his farm, will sell by auction the whole of his farm stock, implements and household effects on Wednesday, Nov. 14th. See posters for full particulars.

Born To Mr. and Mrs O. Morrow of Seal, on Thursday, Nov. 1st a daughter.

John Naismith has accepted a position in the Hart store.

Don't neglect your tires any more than you would your horse. I can repair tires so they will last twice as long.—Briggs Tire Repair Co.

Mr. S. B. Lawrence, who has been agent for the Massey-Harris Company here for the last three years, has sold his interest in the business and accepted a position with the Waterloo Tractor Co., at Saskatoon. Mr. Lawrence was a good citizen and always willing to aid in anything that would be beneficial to the welfare of the town. His many friends wish him every success, and what is Oyen's loss will be Saskatoon's gain.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. H. Brinacomb of Oyen, at the General Hospital, Calgary, on Saturday Nov. 3rd a daughter.

Rev. S. D. Webster left on Tuesday for Edmonton, where he will attend the district meeting of the Methodist Church.

Now is your chance to help win the war. Buy a Victory Loan Bond.

The Ladies Aid Society will give a hot beans supper in the Methodist Church, Saturday Nov 10th, from 5 to 7. Admission 35 cents.

Hall Brothers' auction sale held yesterday by Auctioneer Dial, was the best sale ever held in this district. The total receipts amounted to $6,843.65.

Price of Land High In the Oyen District

Land Sold For $31.25 an Acre

Although there was not a very heavy crop in this district this year yet there are a good many buyers coming into this part to buy land. During the last week several real estate transactions have taken place.

The largest deal put through was by J. R. Sanders of Lanfine who disposed of a half section of land in the consideration of $10,000. This farm was well situated and in splendid shape for next year. This is the highest price ever paid for land in this district and ran about $31.25 an acre. Mr. R. D. Culdhaw of Granum, Alta. was the purchaser.

G. W. Roberts, another old-timer who has travelled extensively through southern and western States and also through western Canada has decided to re-locate in the Oyen district and purchased the half section belonging to Jas. Perry.

In talking to the real estate agents in Oyen, they told the News that they expect to close several more land deals before winter sets in.

Buy Your BOND

Its a Good Buy for You
and
Good-bye for The Kaiser !

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Men ! Buy Your Fall and Winter Suits from Johnston

We carry the largest range of Ready-made-Suits to be found in Oyen and every Suit is new and up-to-date, as well as low in price. Your choice of Tweeds, Serges, Worsteds etc., in sizes 36 to 44. Priced from $12.50 to $30.00



We are agents for the celebrated "Art Tailored Clothes." Every suit sold with a guarantee. If you are going away for Christmas or a holiday, let us fit you with an "Art tailored Suit or Overcoat. Over 250 samples to choose from. Worn by the best dressers everywhere. Ask the man who wears one.

We are showing a very large range of Tailored and Ready-made Overcoats, made deep collar and double breasted style. Your choice of mixed Tweeds, Navy Chinchilla and black grey Frieze. Also fur collared Coats. Prices from $21.50 to $35

Gloves, Mitts and Pullovers

Our stock of men's Mitts, lined Gloves, Pullovers and Auto Gauntlets is now complete, made of good quality horse hide, Buckskin, Cordovan, etc. at $1.25 to $3.50. Also boy's Mitts and Pullovers.

Fur and Chamois Lined Coats

Men's Chamois lined Coats with good quality cloth shell and interlined with Chamois, absolutely wind-proof. Mink Marmot and other collars. Priced from $29.50 to $80

Boy' Clothing

We carry a full line of Boy's Suits, Combinations, Knickers, Caps, Toques, Stockings, Shoes, Overshoes etc. Prices very reasonable. A trial order solicited.

Underwear

Men's Flat Knit Combinations, St George and Stanfields, size 34 to 42. $3.35 up. Men's Ribbed Combinations and separate garments, size 34 to 46. $1.75 up.

Men's Fur and Cloth Caps Low Prices

Men's and Boy's Winter Caps made of Tweed, Chinchilla and novelty checks. Wool and furlined band and visor, all sizes and colors from 90c 2.75



Men's Muskrat and Seal Caps made of good quality furs in serviceable styles. A splendid cap that will last a long time and appreciated in cold weather. $3.00 up

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Britain Increases Army and Navy Pay

Advance in Pay Involves Sum of 50,000,000 Pounds for First Year

The British cabinet has increased the army and navy pay, although the increases are small compared with the American and Colonial standards. Proficiency pay at the rate of from three to six pence a day will be payable after six months' service instead of two years, as under the present army rule. There is also an increase of a penny a day for every year of war service. The present compulsory allotment of six pence daily for privates and two pence for sergeants is abolished.

The navy increase is about the same rate of pay, and the allowances to the army and navy now amount to 225,000,000 pounds yearly. The increases involve 50,000,000 pounds for the first year.

One dose of Miller's Worm Powders will clear the stomach and bowels of worms, so that the child will no more be troubled by their ravages. The powders are sweet to the taste and no child will object to taking them. They are non-injurious in their composition, and while in some cases they may cause vomiting, that must not be taken as a sign that they are nauseating, but as an indication of their effective work.

Automobiles in Canada

Motorists continue to be a most vigorous actuality in Canada, according to figures given in the Toronto Star, an estimate of $80,000,000 being held as the worth of cars manufactured in this country this year. Those purchased in the same period are placed at 100,000, or five times the number acquired in 1914, or one to about 57 of the population. Canada thus occupies third place among the nations of the world in the use of automobiles—the United States coming first, with 3,000,000 or 11,000,000 people and Britain second with 276,000. This is certainly going some for a young country like ours, with be overlooked that all motor-cars number are utilized for agricultural and industrial purposes, causing much economic saving in time and labor. Many users are not joy-riders.—Hamilton Spectator.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

Uncle Sam's Soldiers

Origin of the Marks of Rank are Explained

The marks of rank on the clothing of American military officers are not the same as those used in the British army. An officer with the rank of Pershing's force has explained their origin. The oak leaf, he says, is worn by a captain, and the poplar leaf by a major, because the poplar grows taller than the oak. The eagle signified a colonel, because the eagle soars over the poplar. The stars are for generals, because the eagle looks towards the stars which shine over all.

An officer's coat sleeve has brown braid round it, while the enlisted man has merely two rows of stitching. The overcoat of an officer is cutless and has various braidings to denote rank, while the enlisted man's overcoat has a cuff. The officer also has two buttons on the back of his overcoat belt; the enlisted man two bronze buttons bearing the United States arms.—London Tit-Bits.

An Eye Witness

Gentleman—Why don't you get out and hustle? Hard work never kills anybody.

Rastus—You're mistooken dere boss. I'se lost fouh wives dat way.

There's Superior Flavor To POSTUM as a table beverage.

A package from the grocer is well worth a trial, in place of tea — especially *When Tea Disagrees!*

Invalid Soldiers Form New League

Canvalescent Soldiers at Edmonton Form Model Organization For Mutual Welfare

The Invalid Soldiers' Welfare League is a newly formed organization in the Edmonton Convalescent Home which promises to become a model for similar leagues in all the convalescent homes of the military hospitals commission.

There are many phases of life to be carried on in the homes, and the patients have hit upon the idea of forming an organization which would provide machinery for promoting athletic, social life, maintaining a canteen, as well as a bond of interest common to all the men in the home.

The membership is constantly changing, of course, as cases are discharged and new ones come in, but every man while he stays belongs to the league. The aim is simple—"For the welfare of the men in the convalescent home and hospital"—and the appeal is direct. The returned soldier like the idea.

There are three chief committees; one is in charge of athletics and arranges games, field days, and all sports; the social committee has charge of all the picnics, concerts and movies; and the canteen committee of the smokers, refreshments, etc.

The supreme proof of its usefulness comes when it lends money, to the amount of $400, to any man leaving out into civil life needing a lift, if he can give proper security, and every dollar loaned to date has been repaid.

This is a boon to the man who lived on a salary before he enlisted and whose family used up his small savings in his absence.

In the Edmonton fair the boys cleared $2,000 on a show they staged. Each man who worked was paid $2 a day; and ten per cent of the profits were turned over, as is their custom, to the widows and orphans fund of the Great War Veterans.

Unless women be expelled from the [illegible] they will break [illegible] is the best medicine extant to destroy worms.

Irrigation Period Extended

Railway Co-operating With Farmers in Aid of Increased Production

The steps being taken in Western Canada to increase food production manifest themselves in many ways. Among the latest is a request made by the Lethbridge board of trade to the Canadian Pacific railway that the company should extend the form irrigation water in the ditches beyond the usual time this fall to enable farmers to fall-irrigate their lands for the purpose of increasing the crops of 1918. Similar representations have been made by others in the eastern section of the Canadian Pacific railway irrigation block. In both cases the company has shown its desire to co-operate with the farmers in increasing production by agreeing to the request that water should be supplied through the ditches after September 30, which is officially the end of the irrigation season.

Fresh Supplies in Demand.—Wherever Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil has been introduced increased supplies have been ordered showing that wherever it goes this excellent Oil impresses its power on the people. No matter in what latitude it may be found its potency is never impaired. It is put up in most portable form in bottles and can be carried without fear of breaking.

Walks Between Buildings

Reduces the Amount of Dirt Carried Into the House

Walks between buildings adds a good deal to the ease and convenience with which the chores can be done on the farm and they also reduce the amount of dirt that is carried into the house. Cement concrete is one of the best materials for making walks. When it is properly made with the right amount of sand and gravel of good quality the construction is permanent.

In making the walks excavate eight to ten inches deep and fill in with four to six inches of cinders or similar material, well tamped to make a good base on these sand, fill place three and a half inches of concrete tamped in place and a top coat of one-half inch of cement mortar mixed in the proportions one cement to two sand. The gravel for concrete should be well screened to take from one-quarter to one inch, and for this material the proportions may well be three parts of sand to five of gravel. Poorer materials should have a richer mixture. The top coat should be troweled to drive the water into the concrete base, but not necessarily to make it slick.

A "rough" walk may be advisable, in which case a little finer gravel may be used in the concrete and the full four inches made of this material.—Agr. Ex. Dens., S. D. Agr. College.

A cynic is a man who must be unhappy in order to appear happy.

Accidents to Aviators

Performing Complicated Evolutions Proved a Source of Danger

Accidents of course, are inviable, and they may not be too formidable in proportion to the number of men who are now in the air every day. It is for the authorities to judge of that, just as it is for them to judge whether an undue number of these accidents can be attributed to avoidable causes. But we are bound to say that the increasing tendency of airmen in this country to perform complicated evolutions very close to the ground suggests to the lay observer that needless risks are being taken. Practice in tactics of this kind is an essential part of the training of the fighting pilot. Except for this purpose, however, and especially in the earlier stages of training, we should have thought them unnecessary and unjustifiably dangerous, however alluring they may be to the budding pilot. If so, they should be prohibited at once.—London Times.

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The Future of Germany

Will Suffer from an Economic and Social Boycott

Whether victorious or defeated, Germany is likely to suffer for many years from a social and economic boycott, not necessarily inspired by any government, but the voluntary act of thousands of individuals with whom the feeling of resentment will be keen and lasting. It is probable that it will be many years before any Frenchman or Briton will, without urgent necessity, have business relations with Germans. Travel between the countries will be paralyzed for few Frenchmen or Britons will enter Germany and still fewer Germans will be welcomed in France or Great Britain.

We hardly realize the intensity of feeling that the suffering and the barities of this war have brought about. The common sense reasonable that the material prosperity of Germany will suffer immeasurably for years to come from this economic and social boycott, and it is unlikely that when it is further recognized will make the resentment of the world would disappear if Germany were to transform its autocratic government into a republic or limited monarchy by dethroning the Hohenzollern dynasty, that the business interests of Germany will find an opportunity to suggest in no unmeaning way that as Germany sacrificed herself for the prestige of the kaiser, the Hohenzollerns should now [illegible] probably sacrifice his crown for the benefit of the German people!—Harpers.

WOULD NOT BE WITHOUT BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Mrs. A. C. Smith, Goodwood, Ont., writes:—"I have used Baby's Own Tablets for the past two years and have found them the best medicine a mother can give her little ones and would not be without them. The Tablets never fail to banish the simple ailments of childhood. They regulate the bowels; sweeten the stomach and make the cross sickly baby bright, healthy and happy. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Ate Onions Like Apples

Lady Shackleton gives the interesting information that the members of her husband's expedition found the greatest benefit from eating raw onions like apples. The ironical title of "violets" conferred on them for an obvious reason, explains why onions are banned, but their nutritive and tonic value, particularly in cold conditions, is beyond question. In the Peninsula, laborers in the fields carry with them a Spanish onion, which is the pick of the family, just as in this country they would a lump of cheese, and the onion eaten scientifically is, we believe, on the side of the onion. Before the war, Breton fishermen, in their blue jerseys, carrying their strings of onions, were a familiar sight every season in English streets.—From the London Globe.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Women in the Industrial World

The Pennsylvania railroad decided last spring to open as many avenues of employment to women as possible and now employs over 2,000 more women than formerly in many varied positions, including despatchers, station cleaners, car cleaners, telegraph women, messengers, ticket sellers, station agents, watchwomen, draw-bridge tenders, etc. The increase in the number of women employed was the result of the satisfactory service rendered by those employed in the Broad street station at Philadelphia.

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Medicine is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.

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New Military Hospital

Six Hundred Bed Convalescent Hospital to Be Erected in Montreal

Announcement is made by the military hospitals commission that it will erect a six hundred bed convalescent hospital on property adjoining Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Montreal. Mcgill University will be associated with the commission in the project. An order-in-council ratifying the transaction has been passed.

Construction will begin at once and the institution will be ready for occupation by the new year. The plan permits an expansion to 900 beds, if necessary.

The decision to erect an institution of this large size was prompted by the many changes which have taken place in the matter of the treatment accorded the returned soldiers. Much of this treatment requires highly trained specialists of great ability and the scarcity of men of this calibre together with the necessity of duplicating costly equipment has necessitated concentrating the future work in the military hospitals commission in such large institutions.

The Drummond street hospital will now be used as an active treatment hospital for the Montreal area and convalescents will be treated at Ste. Anne.

One of the great merits of the Ste. Anne site is the proximity of Macdonald college with its splendid facilities for vocational training. It is part of the agreement that the service of the college staff will be available to the commission in this important branch.

The new institution will consist of a central administration block with the outlying, two-story wings each containing 150 beds. Smaller wings in close contact will contain equipment of the latest type for the administration of special treatments such as the various types of electrical treatments, massage, whirlpool baths, nozzle baths, needle baths and arm and leg baths, vapor baths, etc. Corrective apparatus for functional training and re-education of impaired mental and physical faculties will be installed. There will be special buildings for the accommodation of doctors, nurses, orderlies, etc., for vocational training, for recreation and amusements. A powerful staff of the best experts obtainable also. The kitchen and dining room are to the rear connected to the main building by corridors. The kitchen will be equipped with the latest type of steam cookers, serving tables, etc. and a modern refrigerating plant will be installed.

The building will be of the type of construction adopted by the military hospitals commission for its new work, being fire-proof and durable, although not expensive.

Salmon Uncertain

Canners say the outlook is serious in B.C. The only hope for the future is to suspend fishing on the Fraser for at least four years to allow for the reproduction of sockeyes. In place of a daily catch exceeding 100,000 humpbacks or "pinks" the traps are yielding little more than 20,000 at this time.—Montreal Weekly Witness.

Saskatchewan's Crop of Potatoes

Saskatchewan will have over 5,000,000 bushels of potatoes this year, according to the estimate of the department of agriculture, which places the acreage under crop as 49,244 and the average crop at 102.4 bushels per acre.

The Oldest Written Word

An Investigator Says It Is Thaig, Salg, or Talc, Meaning Ice or Snow

In an editorial discussion of the oldest written word The Interstate Medical Journal declares it to be a word meaning ice or snow, which in various places takes the sound of thaig, salg, and talc. Here is the writer's argument:

"How many, if asked what is the oldest written word found in an extant document and still in use—not, mark you, the oldest root—could answer correctly? And yet the word is one appearing frequently in our advertising columns, and it is the name of a therapeutic agent and toilet article in common use.

"In the office copies of the letters and instructions given to the envoys of the heretic king of Egypt, Akhenaton, (Amenaphis IV.) in the fourteenth century, B.C., which office copies were discovered at Tel-el-Amarana, there occurs a passage which was read as follows: 'We hope that the salc will not interfere with you.'

"It was taken for granted that 'salc' was the name of some warlike tribe in the hills of northern Syria; but it was remarkable that a tribe, powerful enough to brave the wrath of the great monarchs, should lose between whom this correspondence was passing, should not be mentioned in any history of the voluminous of those times.

"Pondering this, a philologist remembered that a, d, and t were interchangeable, especially in Semitic languages. For example, the name that we, imitating the northern Semitic races and the Turks, call Osman, is spelled and in southern Arabia is pronounced Othman, while the empire of Osmon is known to Europeans as the Ottoman empire. Now, there exists in the Semitic languages a word for ice or snow which, in various places, takes the sound of thalg, salg, and talc.

"The mystery was thus cleared up. The envoys had to pass the mountains of northern Syria in winter, and their august master expressed a hope that the ice or snow would not interfere with their passage. The Egyptians, having no acquaintance with ice or snow, would naturally borrow the name from their northern neighbors.

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The Kaiser's Hopeless Task

Prefers the Horrors of War to the Terrors of Reckoning

People have wondered why the kaiser has clung so long—and still clings—to his hopeless task, with all its bloody sacrifice. May it not well be that he prefers even the horrors of war to the terrors of reckoning what peace will bring? War at least is a distraction, and he may well shrink from the cold light peace will thrown on a bankrupt Germany—bankrupt not only in the financial sense, but also in the physical, for in using up 1919-class today the kaiser is drawing heavily on the future, and working his man-power on credit as well as his finance. No wonder there is evidence of growing peace-hunger among the people of Berlin—many of whom would be glad to hand over not only Belgium and Alsace-Lorraine and all the German colonies but the Kaiser and the Crown Prince also, with them, hence the growing anxiety in the government.—Glasgow Herald.

Draw Revolting Picture

United States official representatives and newspaper correspondents who lived in Germany in war time have no fear to say what they think. One and all draw a revolting picture of the country, particularly of the German official and military classes. They confirm the general belief that Germany is a horrible place which can be cured by the surgery of war. The rulers are blood-crazed and the people are blind.—Toronto Globe.

A Medicine for Women

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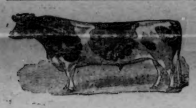
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Word has been received by Mr. J. L. Tupper that his son, Pte Chester Tupper has been severely wounded in the head by gun shot, during the recent heavy fighting.

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The visitor was a man of about sixty, heavily built, with a powerful, well-knit frame, strong bearded face and shrewd grey eyes. Thornton in his own mind put him down as a prosperous farmer; and that his early mate was on the whole correct the newcomer's first words showed him.

"I've not come for any election, I'm as healthy and vigorous a chap as you'd meet in the whole continent of Australia. I have had much to do with doctors in my life, I'm a Colonial—perhaps you'd guessed that by my speech; they say over here they know us by the way we talk; I'm a sheep farmer from New South Wales."

Thornton smiled. As he inwardly expressed it, the Colonial accent you could cut with a knife and give the show away; but he only said, in courteous accents:

"I gathered you were from over the water, Mr. Drake. Please sit down, and tell me what I can do for you. You say you have not come to consult me as a doctor?"

"Bless you, no. Do I look as if I wanted doctoring? What I've come for is quite a different matter, and rather guess it'll be a question what you mean to do with me." A little shamefaced look came into the stranger's face, an embarrassment in his manner. "I'm ashamed of myself, that's the truth and I've come to say so, and I'll take whatever punishment is the right thing over here. I don't know what made me do it, but I got maddened, that's the truth, and I let myself go. It was darned silly of me—and wrong, I'm sure."

Thornton looked curiously at the speaker. Was the man mad? he wondered. His words conveyed no meaning whatever to his listener, and for a moment the doctor was at a loss how to answer the curious remarks.

"You're thinking I'm a looney," the other man said, with a smile. "Sometimes I'm half afraid I shall go dotty one of these days when I see red, and let myself go. Those times I don't know what I'm doing, and afterwards I wonder whether I shall go altogether dotty one of these days." He spoke thoughtfully, at most dreamily, then suddenly jerked himself back to the beginning of his sentence. "Well, you're thinking I'm a looney now, but I am not. I began at the wrong end of the stick, that's all. See here, Doc, I'm the man that called a few nights back on that ice-cold woman in the lonely house you know. I'm sorry now for what I did—I——"

"You are the man who assaulted Miss Farrant?" Thornton cried, springing to his feet, "and you have the effrontery to sit there and tell me so?"

"Wait a bit, wait a bit," Drake answered imperturbably. "Hear my story before you judge. I've come here to tell you the truth, and fair play is a good old British commodity. Hear me before you condemn me."

"Injuring a defenceless woman is not usually considered a very British way of doing things," Thornton said dryly. "However, talk on, tell your story, and be as quick-as you can about it."

"I came over to the old country to look for my niece. I badly wanted to find the kid wherever she is," Drake continued, and at the words Thornton looked at him more closely, Leslie's oft-repeated utterances recurring to his mind: "He said, 'I want my niece.'" How many times during her illness she had repeated those words.

"I ought to have said, properly speaking, my great niece, for I would have you know I am the uncle of May Drake, who married a man called Brent. That girl was my niece. You may have heard of her and her husband?"

"I was with her when she died," Thornton said gently. "You probably know she was killed some years ago in a railway accident, just beyond Whitechurch mead. She died in Miss Farrant's house, to which I took her. Miss Farrant was immensely good to her, and she intended also to help her little child, but—"

"That's as may be," Drake cut in dryly, not waiting for the end of Thornton's sentence. "Time will show the truth about all that business. I have not got to the bottom of it yet. But now where is May Brent's child? She must be somewhere in the world. She's my niece, and by hook or crook I mean to find her, if I have to move heaven and hell upside down to do it. Where is the child? That's what I want to know, and that's what the icy lady couldn't or wouldn't tell me." His voice rose, he spoke with a gust of anger, his eyes blazed, and Thornton became aware that he was a man of ungovernable passion, and that if his passion blazed out suddenly woe betide those who were in his path.

"Miss Farrant has searched in vain for the child," he answered, quietly, anxious to soothe his visitor's excitement. "She went to look for her at her mother's lodgings, but before she reached the house the child had run away, and has never been found, no trace has ever been seen or heard of her. It was one of those unaccountable disappearances which do occasionally happen and my own conviction is that the poor child must have died long ago."

Drake laughed a short, derisive laugh.

"Look here, doctor," he said, "I'm not a fool, neither, I take it, are you. If proper inquiries had been made when the poor little girl vanished, do you mean to tell me she wouldn't have been found? If she wasn't alive they would have found her dead. I don't believe a woman with the frozen eyes ever made proper inquiries. I believe she was glad to find the child, I believe she wanted to lose sight of the child."

"What makes you associate Miss Farrant with the child, and with your niece at all?" Thornton asked. "What took you to her house in the first place? How did you get any clue to her?"

"It's a long story, but if you would like to hear it I can tell it right here. It's queer how things come about. If I never went to that house I could write many a truth stranger than any fiction that ever was written. Well, I've been in Australia for years in Australia. I had lost sight of my people in England; for more years than I care to count I had lost sight of them, all more shame to me. I'd lost touch with things here. I had become an out and out Australian. But I was always fond of May, my brother's girl, and she used to write to me now and again when big things happened to her. For instance she wrote when she got married to Raymond Brent. She told me lots about him. She wrote after her child was born. That letter of hers was the sweetest you could imagine, all about the baby, and her love for it, well—it gave me a new insight into the mind of a woman, and the beautiful thoughts they have when motherhood comes to them. Women are ashamed, women do, with their beautiful thoughts and fancies. Now and again May wrote after that, telling me little bits of things about the child, and then after a while—for six years it must have been—she wrote and told me her husband was dead. That was when I was seven years ago. I tell you I am ashamed straight off to poor little May when I got that letter. I ought to have come straight away to England without a minute's delay to see after the poor little soul and her child. She must have been terribly lonely when she was left alone, and I, selfish brute, never came over to help her, just then I was going through a bad time, one of big droughts, the sheep all myself for not having come dying like flies. Ruin was staring me in the face. I was worked out, worn-down, everything got pushed aside till we could straighten out things again; till we could breathe and look round. And after that work slackened, and the weeks and months went by, and still I didn't come to England. And all at once it came into my mind that I hadn't heard from May for a long time—not for years, indeed, so I settled things up out in Australia and came over to the old country to look for May. I went to the address from which she last written to me ten years before. I found the same landlady; and that was a piece of luck I didn't deserve, she told me about poor May's death."

(To Be Continued.)

Edison Device Said To Have Saved Steamer

His Invention Is Declared to Have Cut Down Greatly the Danger From Submarines

If America has not solved the submarine problem it has cut down the danger from it to a tremendous extent, it was declared here, through the torpedo deflecting device invented by Thomas A. Edison. This is said to have been tried out effectively with torpedo boats, and to have been installed on several liners.

The most spectacular test of the device so far, it is declared, resulted in saving a big American steamship which arrived in an Atlantic port recently.

The passengers arriving on the ship, including some army officers who were not in the secret, said that the mechanism of the torpedo went wrong just before it should have struck the vessel. The torpedo was described as having leaped into the air and gone off on a tangent when it re-entered the water, passing to the stern of the ship.

This torpedo, it is confidently asserted, was deflected by Mr. Edison's device, which had been installed on that ship and a few others. The work of installing the devices, which are declared to be inexpensive, when the service is taken into consideration, will proceed with rapidity.

Secretary Daniels declined to discuss the situation when asked about it.

Since the arming of merchantmen, it has been necessary for the submarines to use more torpedoes and fewer shells. It is the hope that the new Edison invention will result in making the torpedo a useless weapon and compel the submarines to fight with their guns altogether.

Jibway once wrote on article that was published in newspapers from one end of the country to the other. You surprise me. I had no idea Jibway could write. Was it a piece of fiction?

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In Germany wireless waves have been utilized to light and extinguish gas lamps.

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A Facade for Murder

German diplomacy is used as the facade for murder. It seeks to persuade peoples whose rights Germany means to invade, whose citizens Germany means to kill, that it is their moral duty to submit to these things, as it is Germany's inherent right to do them. But because there is suspicion in the German mind that "timid" governments will not submit to these things German diplomacy seeks to sandbag these governments.—New York Tribune.

Canadian Scouts Doing Good Work

Quebec Men Use Woodcraft to Outwit Germans and Capture Prisoners

A lieutenant and patrol of nine men of a Quebec battalion gave an object lesson on the front, showing the value of careful scouting. The party went out into a haze lying in the lowland between the enemy line and our own, and at a point about 300 yards from a German trench discovered Germans on outpost duty under the shade of some trees.

The Quebecers stalked the party as carefully as if the enemy had been a deer in the northern woods. They captured three and killed the others. After bringing in the prisoners, the lieutenant, feeling certain that the enemy, having heard the sound of firing, would investigate, took out the patrol again and concealed his men near the outpost. The second party of Germans appeared shortly afterwards, and in the fight that followed three of them were captured, one after sustaining severe wounds. Not one of our men was hit in this admirable bit of outpost warfare.

The enemy has at times called Canadians hard names, but it is "Dear Tommy" now. German soldiers at Lens fired the following message into our lines by the use of an aerial dart:

"Dear Tommy, the German Tommy sends you hearty greetings from Lens. When will there be peace? Please reply."

Record Wireless Message

The new naval wireless station at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, the most powerful in the world was re-opened with a new world's record for long distance transmission. Messages exchanged between Secretary Daniels and the naval commandant at Pearl Harbor were transmitted between Hawaii and Sayville, Long Island, approximately 5,000 miles within thirty-three minutes. The Pearl Harbor station is one of a great high power chain that will encircle the globe and keep American ships and the distant communities with the navy department at Washington.

"I'm leading a dog's life," the ex-plained.

"Yes," spoke the good woman. "I know. Trusting to other folks to provide your meals for you."—Detroit Free Press.

College Staff Killed by Axe

Terrible Slaughter of Armenians Described by Returned Educator

The slaughter with axes of all the Armenian faculty members of Anatolia College, Marsovan, Northern Asia Minor, together with 1,200 others by Turkish peasants, whose pay for the work was the privilege of stripping the clothing off their victims' bodies, was described by Rev. George E. White, president of the college, recently returned to this country. The massacres were committed at night by order of the Turkish government, he said, the Armenians being sent out in lots of 100 and 200 to their doom, and their bodies rolled into prepared burial trenches.

"One group of our college boys asked permission to sing before they died, and sang 'Nearer, My God, to Thee.' Then they were struck down," Mr. White said.

"On the pretext of searching for deserting soldiers, concealed bombs, weapons, seditious literature or revolutionists, the Turkish officers arrested about 1,200 Armenian men at Marsovan, accompanying their investigations by horrible brutalities. Ther was no revolutionary activity in our region whatever.

Food economy is more essential than ever. There should not be the slightest slackening in the rigid self-restraint which it demands from each individual.—London Times.

Silk from Milk

Lacteal Fluid May Be Converted Into Clothing and Ornaments

It has remained for two French chemists, Francois Lebreil and Raoul Desgrorge, to conceive an idea whereby milk may be made to yield a fabric which may be converted into clothing and ornaments. The curds of the milk are subjected to a chemical treatment by means of which the mass is converted into a plastic substance which may be rolled into sheets resembling celluloid, from which buttons and other articles such as combs, umbrella handles, bric-a-brac and even imitation leather may be made, all of which are of attractive appearance and of excellent wearing qualities.

The milk is first robbed of its fat, after which it is warmed with rennet so as to form curds. It is then parboiled and exposed to the air, and then it is treated with acetone to give it the required hardness, plasticity and transparency. The product may be made so soft that it can be used as a substitute for silk in the manufacture of fine underwear, or it may be made solid enough to serve as a good imitation of ivory.—Popular British Monthly.

Mrs. A.—Are you troubled much in your neighborhood with borrowing?

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MISCONCEPTIONS AS TO THE CAUSE AND AIMS OF THE WORLD WAR

UNITED STATES FIGHTING FOR SELF-PRESERVATION

Lord Northcliffe Says Many People are Deluded by Pro-German Propagandists Into Supposing That This is a Commercial War, But Points Out the Utter Fallacy of Such Reasoning

That the American people are not fighting to make the world safe for democracy, but to make it safe for themselves, is the opinion expressed by Lord Northcliffe, head of the British mission to the United States, in an article printed in the October issue of Current Opinion Magazine. The article, which is headed, "What America Is Fighting For," says:

"If this country had meant to take up arms in defense of political French interests, or in the interest of Belgium, or in order to spread democracy, it would not have waited until April, 1917. If its aims had been commercial, it would have been in the war long ago. The motive which brought the United States in was not sympathy for any other nation, was not desire for gain, was not an abstract fondness for democratic as opposed to autocratic government; it was self-interest, self-preservation, and self-respect."

Lord Northcliffe says that the only way for America to make the world safe for herself is to make Prussia admit that her theory of a state which has no conscience and rules which can do no wrong, is out of date.

"The German people," he adds, "have been purposely included into the belief that they are fighting themselves against foes who are set upon annihilating them. It was upon a delusion which nobody but a hostile censor would perceive to be a delusion of execution. Austria fancies that she went to war to defend herself against Russia, the truth being that she was used as a cat's-paw by the Hohenzollern gang. Bulgaria still under the delusion that she will gain the reward promised her by Prussian junkerdom for her treachery to her fellow Slavs.

"Even among the allies there exist misconceptions as to causes and aims of the struggle. A number of English people still fancy that Britain could have kept out of the conflict if Belgium had not been invaded. These people are still unable to understand that Russia objects in forcing war upon France and Russia was in order to clear them out of the way and be able to attack England, and, in course of time, the United States, with a good prospect of success later on.

"In Russia the pro-Prussian people of success later on.

pagandists have infected many with the crazy notion that the new republic has no interests of its own to defend - against Germany, and only remains in the war for the benefit of France and Britain. I have even heard French people speak as if their country took up arms for the purpose of regaining Alsace and Lorraine, whereas we know that France would never have brought upon the world the frightful calamity of war for selfish aims.

"Here in the United States, I am told, and I have discovered proof for myself, that there are people deluded by German and pro-German propagandists into supposing that 'this is a commercial war.' It is very easy to make out exactly what these people mean by that expression. So far as I can learn, they appreciate that the cause of the war was commercial rivalry, and that the combatants are each seeking to obtain control of the world's markets."

Denying that the allies are at war for commercial reasons, Lord Northcliffe asks: "What would have been the good of Britain going to war with Germany in order to secure markets? As soon as she had secured them, they would have been open to Germany and the United States, just as the German vice-chancellor, Dr. Helfrich, has asserted that Great Britain's object was "the economic oppression of Germany." How could Britain oppress any nation economically? Britain is the most liberal traders of all nations to compete with her own traders upon equal terms?"

"The peoples of the British empire did not want war. They had nothing to gain from war. They were threatened. They were attacked. Whether Prussia had invaded Belgium or not, Britain would have been obliged to fight in self-defense. It was not Brussels that the Germans wanted when "for strategic reasons" they marched their troops across the Belgian frontier which they had signed a solemn contract to respect. They wanted Antwerp, which Napoleon called, with justifiable understanding, "a pistol pointed at the heart of England." They wanted an outlet for their ocean-going submarines. They wanted Calais.

"The delusion industriously sown in the United States by Germans and those who are in favor of Prussianism, that Britain's assistance to many Irishmen, that Britain always fights for commercial reasons, can only have been a Prussian slander. Treitschke, writing on whose teaching the Kaiser Wilhelm II. was nurtured, taught that England's wars were always undertaken in the interest of conquest of markets. He did not explain why England should take so much trouble to conquer markets, seeing that she gave the whole world, including Germany, the benefit of access to them."

The German Reply

Is Merely an Effort to Save Hohenzollerism

No negotiation can be entered into with the present German government, because it would be impossible to get any agreement not to its interest. If the German people will put forward a government which is ready to make the world will listen to its proposals. It no such skeptical spirit as it listened to those put forward today, they will not do so, then the present Germany government must be beaten until it makes no difference what terms it will agree to and what terms it will not.

At present Germany proposes nothing except that the war be ended by a promise on Germany's part not to invade Belgium. Any other nations, a promise which Germany would not fulfil; a promise that England reduce its navy, a promise which Germany would expect England faithfully to fulfil; and a promise of the nation to arbitrate in future, a promise that Germany would laugh to scorn the moment it suited her. She sees the issue of the war as "the freedom of the seas," areas that are as free in times of peace to Germany as they are to England, and this is an issue which does not concern in the least the rest of the world, not even Austria. The rest of the world sees the German government as the issue. The German government knows it well, and the whole reply to the pope, directed to Berlin and transferred with forebodings in Vienna, is merely an effort to save Hohenzollernism.—From the New York Times.

The Country Churches

Many country churches once strong, are today numerically weak, because the young are leaving the country villages for some congested metropolis. Country churches are a mighty factor in the moral world and deserve every possible encouragement. The society of a country district centres around the little church and when that church declines, rural society disintegrates.—Plattsville Echo.

"I've come to kill a printer," said the little man.

"Any printer in particular?" asked the foreman, obligingly.

"Oh, any one will do. I would prefer a small one, but I've got to make some sort of a show at a fight or leave home since your paper called my wife's tea party a 'swell affair.'"

Germans Have Evolved New Air Terror

Gotha Bombing Machine Constitutes Real Menace

The repeated attacks on London from the air and the increasing number of planes and aerial craft with which these attacks are made by the enemy, are causing discussion as to whether the German designers are evolving a more powerful type of air vessel than the British. Were the newest type of Gothas used in the flight over London and the eastern counties recently, is the question which is being asked on all sides.

"When the Gothas assemble over London in organized formation, beyond reach of anti-air guns, the pride of England will be lowered." This is the prophecy of the Lokal Anzeiger, the semi-official newspaper in Berlin. The same paper once predicted that "with carefully-planned ruthlessness it should not be difficult for our U-boats to compel the allied powers to listen to the sincerity of our desire for an honorable peace, one that would establish the German empire in safety from allied intrigues and from the naval possibilities of England." It may be that the latest hope of the enemy will be doomed, like the first, to bitter disappointment.

The characteristics of the new bombing plane of the enemy, however, are not to be ignored. The Gotha bombing machine is a biplane with a span of about 80 feet from tip to tip of the wings, and has a length of 40 feet from nose to tail-tip; the height of the machine is about 12 feet. The body, or fuselage, is similar to that of the ordinary tractor biplane, familiar to all, but instead of having an engine in the nose, this compartment is occupied by a gunner-observer, who also operates the bomb-dropping controls.

The forward gun commands an arc of rather more than a semi-circle horizontally and vertically, so that it can fire anywhere inside a sky area representing rather more than a hemisphere round the front of the machine.

The bombs, twelve in number, are carried under the pilot's compartment, slung on the space between the upper and lower wings and immediately behind the forward gunner. The reason for carrying the bombs thus is that since the bomb case is right under what is called the "centre of gravity" of the machine, the balance is not affected whether the case is full or empty. Two extra bombs can be carried under the forward gunner's compartment if desired.

Well aft of the pilot, behind the wings, is a large cockpit for the after gunner, who has a gun on the top of the fuselage which commands a whole sphere hemisphere of sky and rather more, so that any hostile machine can attack from above or on either side is subject to the fire of both the forward and after guns.

Besides the top gun there is a third gun on the floor of the after cockpit, firing behind or downwards through a hatchway tunnel in the fuselage—as described recently—and this gun is also so arranged that in the event of an attack from the rear, the gunner can come forward and past the pilot, and so two guns can be brought to bear on the pursuer.

It is this multiplication of guns and gunners which makes a Gotha so hard and so difficult to attack. Pursuing machines need room in which to manoeuvre and unless one can get to the rear two guns, each firing forward, and at the same time each attack a separate Gotha, they are certain to be out-gunned. If one pursuer gets ahead of his fellows he is the target for the concentrated fire of several machines, and unless the Gotha formation is broken up it is impossible for a single pursuer to attack one Gotha at the same time and so bring a superiority of guns to bear. Despite this difficulty, however, British aviators have succeeded by sheer gallantry and disregard of difficulties in bringing down several of these formidable craft.

The One Clear Duty

We are Now at the Parting of the Ways

We must fight against weariness. It is unworthy of us. We must neither by word, nor talk, nor think about being weary till we have won the war. We at home have one clear duty. That is to support by every means in our power moral and material, our sons, who are bearing ceaselessly and relentlessly before the enemy. They are not weary, and we have no right to be weary either. We are at the parting of the ways." One road leads to victory, the other to defeat. We must keep our eyes fixed upon to us, and we have got to choose between them. All talk about peace, all proposals for Stockholm, Rome, or elsewhere is a device of the enemy to save his own neck. Weariness would help us to victory. Courage, resolution, endurance will. Did Pitt sire after Austerlitz, or Wellington after Bargos? Nay, but on the French tiring now? Bleeding from every pore, they are facing the foe with herculean of men who are out to win.—London Observer.

Bone Surgery Marvels

A reserve' officer in the United States medical corps who recently returned to the States from Great Britain is loud in his praises of the work in bone surgery being done in British hospitals. He says: "They can take a rib from a man and use it to replace a crushed bone in his arm. Patients who in earlier times would have been considered permanently disabled are now fixed up in a few weeks so that they can go back to the front. In a single month, in one hospital, we had 1350 bone cases, and 1,000 of them were ready at the end of the month to go back and fight again.

Dr. Gustave Stresemann, a member of the Reichstag, says "Only fools believe we shall ever give up Russia. Only fools, also, could believe that Germany will ever give up Belgium—unless she has to.—New York World.

Our Starving Allies

Position of Invaded Serbia Becomes More and More Serious

The following appeal for help and justice for the starving Serbian people, issued by "Serbia," a weekly paper published by Serbs in exile, and edited by Dr. Lazar Mirkovic, a professor of Belgrade university.

The position of invaded Serbia becomes more and more serious.

The information results help, which at present reaches it in an absolutely insufficient measure.

The reasons invoked by the allied governments against the sending of foodstuffs to Serbia do not preclude and ought not to preclude the sending of help which, while relieving the famished Serbian population, would in no way weaken the effects of the blockade.

The Swiss committee for Serbian relief provides a sufficient guarantee that the foodstuffs and other indispensable articles will be distributed among the Serbian population and that this distribution will in no way reduce rations accorded by the invaders. As regards flour, in the first place there is in Serbia a great number of people who cannot get bread to eat oftener than once a week. Then there are things that are totally lacking, for example, milk, which if sent to Serbia could save the children who remain alive from certain death. Clothing and shoes are no longer to be had in Serbia, or are so costly that the population is not in a position to obtain them.

To supply all this to the Serbs would in no way diminish the effects of the blockade, because the persons who would benefit would not cede their rations to the invader, for this simple reason that they are receiving nothing from the invader.

One sees, therefore, that military necessities and the exigencies of the most elementary humanity can be reconciled, and with a little more good-will one could arrive at satisfactory results.

It is the duty of the Serbian representatives to explain to our British and American allies that there is no question of any action in favor of the enemy but of the saving of the Serbian population, which is menaced by death from starvation.

We make appeal to the generosity so largely and so often displayed of the British, the French, and the Americans, to rescue our unhappy compatriots from an appalling situation. They are the sole survivors of the Serbs interned and prisoners of war, whose fate is most tragic.

Remarkable Bravery Of Officer Won V. C.

Amazing Record of Dash, Gallantry and Skill

Stirring stories of British bravery are there in the official gazette announcing the awarding of nine new Victoria Crosses. Five of them are awarded dead. The most remarkable case was that of Second Lieut. Thomas Hunter Woodroffe, of the Northamptons.

A brief citation had arisen, and it was impossible for his company to advance in the original plan of deployment owing to the difficulties of the ground. The enemy's wires are very thick. Woodroffe went on with a sergeant and five men only. Nevertheless he carried on the attack, capturing the enemy trench and disposed of the garrison, after which he successfully repulsed a heavy counter-attack.

Then, assisted by an orderly only, he attacked another trench with machine gun and turned it upon his enemies, killing many of them and driving others into the hands of an adjoining British force. Later, assisted only by the sergeant, he attacked another trench and the second enemy machine gun. He was then joined by other portions of his company, and was able to consolidate the position. His conduct throughout is an amazing record of daring, gallantry and skill, for which no reward can be too great in view of the importance of the position won. This gallant officer was shortly afterwards killed by a sniper.

What Britain Did

Great Britain first of all upset the German plans for a quick and not too costly victory in the west. Then Great Britain upset these plans by entering the war and by sea transport made possible the conditions which Germany hoped would prevail. German, not French ports were invaded. Germany, not France, was thrown back upon herself and forced to rely on the inferior interior development of materials and manufacture. France was saved by the British fleet and the Germans recognized it by hating the British in a ferocious ecstacy.—From the Chicago Tribune.

Many a man who claims to be truthful spends a lot of time echoing the lies of other men.

THE DISSOLUTION OF HUN POWER NECESSARY TO SAVE DEMOCRACY

FREE THE EAST AND SECURE A LASTING PEACE

Colonel Roosevelt Believes That the Only Peace Which Will Make the World Safe for Democracy Must Be Based On the Complete Overthrow of Germany, Austria and Turkey

Theodore Roosevelt, speaking in New York at a "National Service" mass meeting under the auspices of the mayors' committee on national defense, declared the only peace which will make the world safe for democracy must be based upon the complete overthrow of Austria and Turkey. Included in the program he outlined were a free Greece, and Armenia, Poland and Lithuania, with an independent Czech commonwealth and a Jugo-Slav state.

"Continually we hear rumors of peace," he said. "I think the circulation of such rumor is inimical to America and to the cause of decency and democracy. We should make it clearly understood that the conduct of Germany has been such that we regard as enemies of mankind all people who would strive to bring about a peace based upon treating Germany, Austria and Turkey on the one hand, and the allies on the other, as standing on a footing of equality. The only peace that will make the world safe for democracy is a peace based upon the complete overthrow of Germany and the dissolution of Austria and Turkey.

"Unless we have used the phrase in a hypocritical and insincere manner, this is the way to make the world safe for democracy, and the only way; and this means that the only peace we can accept is the peace of overwhelming victory. Turkey's conduct toward the Armenian and Syrian Christians has been such as to make it evident that the Turk must not only be driven out of Europe, but his empire destroyed. Give Arabia freedom, give Armenia freedom. Establish a free city at Constantinople and keep the straits absolutely open for the Russians and for everyone else.

"Make a great independent Poland and probably a great independent Finland, too. Give the Lithuanians at least autonomy; make an independent Czech commonwealth to include the Bohemians, Moravians and Slovaks. Make a Jugo-Slav commonwealth to include as a footing of entire equality Croats, Serbians and Slovaks, whether Catholic, Orthodox or Mohammedans. Restore Italian Austria to Italy, and Roumanian Hungary to Roumania.

"As for Belgium, she is not only entitled to restoration, but to the greatest help in reconstruction. Let France have Alsace-Lorraine; let Poland include the Polish districts to which she is entitled. Let the British and the Japanese keep the colonies they have won."

Joffre and the Soldier

Papa Joffre Sends Wrist Watch to Poilu Admirer

Like a true hero, Marshal Joffre shuns publicity and is jealous of his personality when any one tries to please he generally takes a second class compartment.

Therefore the poilu he was en route to visit friends near Paris, when a war stained poilu entered a first class compartment and opened conversation with the stout, elderly gentleman in a gray uniform.

The sympathetic manner of the elderly gentleman won the warrior's heart.

"I shouldn't be telling you all this," ended the soldier, "but I felt I could trust you, monsieur, as I would my father."

"Why?" demanded the elderly gentleman.

The statue you are the image of Papa Joffre," the poilu responded.

The old gentleman smiled appreciatingly and asked quite casually to have a look at his comrade's identity disk.

The surprise came a few days later when the talkative poilu received a handsome present from Marshal Joffre's compliments "as a remembrance of their chat in the railway car."

Northern Ontario

This new district of which one day make one of the finest farming countries in Canada. Farmers are also getting well established in stock raising. Northern Ontario potatoes have become well known for their excellent qualities as seed. Potato growers in the new district of Ontario find very little trouble with insect pests and their seed gives earlier and larger yields. Farmers are enthusiastic about the possibilities of this new northern country where 7,000 bushels of grain have been produced in a season.

A Thieves' Paradise

City of Berlin Now Given Over to Criminals

From a city of order, Berlin is beginning to become a city of disorder, as a lengthy and bitter report in the Berlin Tageblatt clearly shows. In the big railway sheds, where goods are received and distributed there is absolute chaos. An almost endless array of packages, trunks, parcels of all descriptions, are stored there in hopeless disorder; many have been stolen or lost. The public accuses the new officials of stealing them; the officials say that the thefts are due to dishonest soldiers and untrustworthy forwarding agents. The great Berlin forwarding agency declares that parcels of all descriptions are stolen by thieves while the conveyance are passing through the streets The report, in all soberness makes the astounding statement that Berlin is full of thieves, convicted criminals who have been released admission to the army, serving to make the streets thoroughly unsafe.

Another forwarding company says that it is useless bringing charges against the dishonest drivers, as there are so many of them that the Crown Prosecutor has given it up as a bad job.

Reporters Nip German Plots

Girl Stenographer Used to Trap Agents and Fist Fight Helps

Calling attention to the "stupidity" of German intrigue in the United States and revealing evidence of this German secret service, Dr. William T. Hornaday, director of the New York Zoological Park, in "The Blunders of Germany," describes how a newspaper man successfully pitted himself against the most astute agents of the Berlin government and exposed their plots.

"One luncheon American newspaper man, John R. Rathom, of the Providence Journal, had the aid of a new employee in a secretarial position at His Excellency von Bernstorff's office. Also he put a bright American girl stenographer (with a red pencil) in the office of the Austrian consulate in New York City, and he planted an office on each side of the fake passport factory in New York.

"And it was a Providence Journal war map that showed the portfolio the astute Dr. Albert, of Austria, and staged a chase in the subway—with our extra charges—while that horrific mistake was being made. Nearly all of the many people who discovered doctor noticed the substitution. But the stenographer sat demurely on a big box of incriminating papers just ready for its shipment to Germany, sharing her lunch with the shrewd von Papen, and dreamily staged a chase for red hearts on the box cover. The sentimental von Papen tenderly added a red garnet to her pin. This spooning led to the cheap and easy identification of the box to England."

The Pilot's Heart

A Pride That Only a Pilot Can Know

"The romance of the air," writes an aviator of some experience, "is a different thing from mascots and superstitions. It is not bound up in the machines. It is something deep in the pilot's own soul and unlike self. Those who know it best acknowledge it least. And the pilots themselves are the ones they speak of as "lucky" or an "unlucky" pilot. Never. They speak only of a "good" pilot or a "bad" one. The only time a man is told he is lucky is when he has failed to break his neck despite bad piloting. Flying is a cruel mistress. Only a pilot knows what she has got in her heart. Where are the young pilots? At the aerodromes learning to fly. They are nowhere else. The second qualification is that there is a pride that only a pilot can know. It is the pride of the self-dependent."

Mrs. Flatbush—What does your husband call your dog?

Mrs. Bensonhurst—When he's calling him in the house do you mean, how he calls him out?—Yonkers Statesman.

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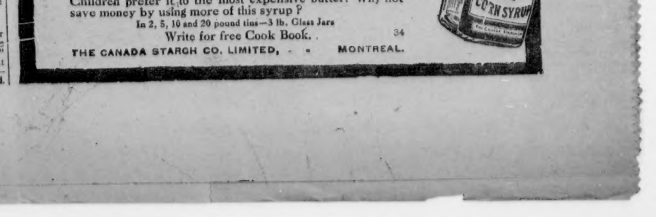
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Look to the First Class

Ottawa Expects the 100,000 Reinforcements to be made up from those First Called

Preparations have been rushed to take care of the first men called up under the Military Service Act, since all indications point to a heavy response at the very first. It requires a huge organization, throughout the the country, to take of the operations of the Act.

The Governor-General's Proclamation was printed in all the newspapers of the country on October 13, calling up the first class. This includes all male British subjects between the ages of 20 and 34 who were unmarried on July 6 1917, or are widowers without children. All these must report for service before November 10 next. Applications for exemption must be made in their before that date

It is by this time, the country is been fully informed as to every man's duty under the Military Service Act, and knows the various penalties provided for those who try to evade the law. Information of the reinforcements to the number of 100 000 is expected from the first class called

Chauncy Olcott's Massive Scenic Production

To Open the New Opera House

Oyen's new opera house will receive its first theatrical offering with a production of sterling quality in "The Isle O'Dreams" Manager Todd has arranged to secure an attraction that is truthfully termed a "Big City Show". It combines character acting that is superbly done by a large cast, of a strength not usually seen outside of the largest cities. Julius Velie a young metro-singer in the Chauncy Olcott show will be seen in the Oscar character, and is supported by such eminent players as Lionel Dunrobin late leading man with Madame Nazimova; Costa De Backer, formerly leading woman with Chauncy Olcott; Reade Williams, late of Margaret Anglins company; Hazel Dawn who captivated Canada as the "Swamp Angel" in the song play, "Freckles"; Will. Brockett, a student of the late Thomas Keene and a massive scenic production of unusual beauty, painted by Edgar Seville, late of Drury Lane.

If you enjoyed "Peg O,My Dear" you will find great pleasure following the career of the young Irish waif "Ivor" as portrayed in this. The performance will be for one night only at the New Opera House, Thursday [illegible]. Flowing production, [illegible] age best are guaranteed [illegible] attractions as seen in Toronto, Montreal Winnipeg Calgary and Vancouver.

[illegible] Donald of Muhlbach [illegible] received the sad intelligence that his son, Pte. W. J. McDonald has been severely wounded by gun shot. Previous to enlisting Pte. McDonald had an adventure in Mexico which nearly resulted in his death. It appears that he was prospecting in Mexico when he was taken prisoner by the Mexicans and accused of been a spy, and, but for the timely assistance of Mr. Evans, the Customs Officer at the border, who took the matter up with the Mexican officials, and had him released, otherwise he would have been shot.

Mr. D. McDonald has five sons at the front, three of them having been wounded while in action.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

IMPROVED FARM SNAP, west half Section 7-27-4, west of 4th meridian, Oyen district, improved, with well 90 feet deep. For particulars see or write owner at 901 Sixth Avenue, Saskatoon, Sask.

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FOR SALE 18 Young Pigs. For Price see R. Cunningham, S. 30, 4, Fairacres.

Pound Notice

Notice is hereby given under Section 39 of the Pound District Ordinance, that one Bay Mare, white face, white foot, age 8, branded 2 on right hip. Was impounded in the pound kept by the undersigned on the N. E. Section 16-28-6, west of 4th the 24th day of Oct. 1917.

O. H. BERGH,
Poundkeeper.

Ratepayers of Cereal R.M.

IN THE MATTER of the confirmation of the tax collection return of the Rural Municipality of Cereal No. 242.

TAKE NOTICE that a judge of the district court of Calgary will be present at the sittings of the Court at Oyen on November 9 1917, for the hearing of the court of confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Cereal No. 242.

ALL PERSONS, who are in arrears of taxes to the municipality can settle same before that date and save added costs.

Liberal Convention

For the Province of Alberta

A Convention of Liberals opposed to the Borden Government will be held—

AT EDMONTON

On Saturday, November 10th, 1917
At 10.30 o'clock a.m.

To discuss the issues of the impending elections and to complete a Provincial organization

Every Liberal opposed to the Borden Government is invited to the Convention and, if convenient, a meeting of such liberals should be held in each town, village or polling division.

At the Convention the delegates from each of the 12 Dominion Constituencies will appoint 12 voting delegates.

Arrangements have been made for single fare for the round trip.

Delegates will purchase one way tickets to Edmonton and at the same time obtain standard convention certificates from their local railway agents. At Edmonton return tickets will be issued free. Further information as to Convention will be given through the newspapers.

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G. H. McNeil, who has been spending a week in Calgary, returned last Saturday.

Mr. Fred Webster spent the weekend in Saskatoon.

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It would mean that more than a million dollars a day would have to be raised right now.

But to raise money by selling Canada's Victory Bonds means that those of the next generation who will benefit by the sacrifices this generation is making;

—who will share in the freedom this generation is fighting for and largely paying for—will also pay their share.

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And when you buy Canada's Victory Bonds you make a first-class business investment in a security that is absolutely safe, likely to enhance in value after the war, and bearing a good rate of interest.

You help the country by keeping open the British market for Canadian products and this helps the general welfare in which you share.

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And again, every Canadian who buys a Victory Bond becomes a financial partner or backer of Canada in the war.

When you buy a Canada Victory Bond you give a personal pledge that you are going to help to win the war.

Every man and woman in Canada can help to win the war by buying Canada's Victory Bonds. And Canada wants the personal, individual interest and co-operation of every man and woman in the country.

The buying of Victory Bonds by the whole people unites them in a determination to win the war.

Every purchase of Canada's Victory Bonds is a blow for freedom against the tyranny of German Militar.

Every bond sold is a new guarantee that Canada is in the war to the finish, until victory is with the Allies and the world has been made safe to live in.

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CANADA

EXEMPTION TRIBUNALS

MILITARY SERVICE ACT 1917

For the Attention of Class One Men

The location of The Exemption Tribunals in this district is as follows:—

Tribunal Area No. 81—OYEN

These Tribunals will commence to deal with claims for exemption on November 8th.

All claims for exemption must be made not later than November 10th.

Those who make or have made their claim for exemption in writing through the Post Office will receive notice by registered letter of date on which their claim will be dealt with.

Those who neglect to make use of the Post Office must present themselves in person at a Tribunal on November 8th, 9th or 10th, and they will then be informed as to when their claims will be dealt with.

Reports for service must be made on or before November 10th through the Post Office.

Severe penalties are provided by law for failure to report for service or claim exemption as above.

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U. S. Destroyers' Work

Good Work of the U.S. Destroyers in the Forbidden Zone

For military reasons the facts cannot be detailed, but it may be said that the United States destroyers are very active in the protection of vessels in Germany's "forbidden zone," and that the strain on officers and men is heavy. They are exposed to danger from the enemy and from rough weather. "Four days on and four days off" for officers and men on the destroyers and patrols hunting U-boats on the other side means that the navy is doing its full share of hard work; for "four days on" spells for them no rest, little sleep, hard work and hardship. The crews come into port utterly exhausted, but after four days ashore go back, prepared for another turn with the submarines. When the number of ships and their crews and what they have accomplished is told, the work of the navy will show that its worth has not been less than its prestige called for.—Army and Navy Journal.

Sheep to Stock Manitoba Farms

Hearing that a number of sheep were being sold for slaughter in Ontario, the minister of agriculture for the province thought the opportunity was good for obtaining some of these animals to stock Manitoba farms. The government has, therefore, decided to spend $125,000 in the purchase of sheep in Ontario at once, and will sell them at cost to the farmers in the province.

Going Back on the Kaiser

German People Gradually Losing Faith in the War Lord

In the September number of the Nineteenth Century there is an interesting article by Prof. F. Sefton Delmer. He, Australian born, had lived for twenty years past in Germany, during the latter part of the time being a professor in the University of Berlin. From the outbreak of the war until May of this year, he was a civil prisoner in Berlin. He was able, however, to go about under restrictions, and to see something of his university friends. What he writes of their change of opinion is instructive. He declares:

"Before the war the intellectual classes of Germany were almost to a man on the side of the Kaiser. But many of these people, who in August, 1914, lauded their ruler to the skies as a new Charlemagne, now shrug their shoulders at him and his house. They put the disaster which has come over them in consequence of this war, and the still worse disasters with which they see themselves threatened in the near future, down to the Kaiser's clumsy diplomatic preparation of the war, and his autocratic system. His everlasting pose, his wish to delude himself and them into the belief that he is a second Frederick the Great, his fickleness and impulsiveness as a pilot of German policy, have all come home to them. 'He dismissed Bismarck," I have heard people say, 'but just look at the statemen he has chosen as his chancellors since—first Caprivi, a mere soldier; then Hohenlohe, the courtier; then the selfish fox von Bulow, and after him the pliable and weak-kneed philosopher Bethmann, but never a really strong man or a great statesman among them all.'"

Soft corns are difficult to eradicate, but Holloway's Corn Cure will draw them out painlessly.

A Race of Cripples

Only One American Out of Every Five Is Considered Sound

The military medical authorities have examined our citizens by the thousands. The results of this examination in many instances have been as follows:—

Out of every five examined, one is considered sound. The other four are cripples. Some part of their internal organisms is affected. The heart, stomach, lungs, kidneys or some other vital organ or function is crippled.

For generations the blind have been leading the blind.

The physical body is of no special importance. The house in which we live needs no special attention. It "just grows." No matter how ditry it may be. So long as the dirt does not show on the surface, there is no occasion for complaint or criticism. That has been our attitude.

It is about time for us to change. It is about time for us to give the body its proper appreciation. Learn to respect it, to revere it, to care for it as you would for your most precious possession.—Bernarr Macfadden in October Physical Culture.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

Germany's Stupid Diplomats

Her Government Today Is Distrusted and Hated Everywhere

What will proud Germans think of their foreign office meekly lying down before an ultimatum from Argentina? With what composure will they read of the alienation of Sweden by official receit? How will they feel about their Zimmermanns and their Luxburgs and their Bernstorffs, when the full evidence of their incredible follies is laid before the German public? With the shame there will surely be resentment—resentment that Germany has been put in such a bad light by the acts of her rulers, so that her government today is distrusted or hated everywhere, and no one can be found to place faith in its pledges, or to be anything but nauseated when it talks about morality and good faith among nations. President Wilson does not need to go outside of Germany to find powerful support for his contention that the existing German government has made itself impossible. To have been guilty of such gigantic stupidities is a condemnation from which there can be no appeal. Ferocious lawlessness might have been pardoned if it had been successful; but failure heaped on mistake makes up an undeniable Dummheit upon which the German people, in sheer self-defence, will soon be compelled to lay violent hands.—From the New York Evening Post.

Can't Afford to Lose

If we should suffer defeat, if the force of our arms and those of our allies should disintegrate, then we should find that nothing on earth matters. Our farms, our factories, and our homes would avail us nothing. We've got to win because we can't afford to lose.—Chicago Tribune.

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Getting Rid of Weeds

Sow Thistles Killed by the Summer-Fallow Method

In every portion of Manitoba where the perennial Sow Thistle is well distributed, it has, this year, been conclusively demonstrated that this weed can be almost, if not entirely eradicated in one season by the summer-fallow method. In almost every infested district the weed commissioners find good, and in some places extra good, crops of wheat growing on fields that were condemned for thistles and treated to black fallow last year. In a few cases almost the best crops in the district are upon fields that, because of weeds, were plowed up as being of no value and summer fallowed in 1916.

On the other hand, it is being noted universally that where the thistles are well established the grain crops are so starved out that in many cases, even if they were harvested, they would scarcely pay for the work of threshing. The owners of a great amount of land are being given notice this season that thistle-infested fields must be given cleaning treatment next year. Several prosecutions also have occurred this year because of neglect of weeds upon vacant lands, hopelessly dirty grain fields and neglected summer fallows.

STRONG PEOPLE NEEDED

The need for people to be healthy is urgent. Those whom illness has put outside the ranks of robust men and women feel their position keenly. They are handicapped in every walk of life and weak men and nerve-worn women need more earnestly than eve. to put their health right and become active and strong. Many who began "patching" months ago are as ill now as on the day they began vainly tinkering with common drugs. Every ailing man and woman should remember that the ills of debility, nerve exhaustion, indigestion, sleeplessness, neuralgia, and depression come from a faulty blood supply. Worry, over-work or other causes have impoverished the blood and left the life-stream impure. The nerves thereby are starving and the whole system is languishing for new blood. In this condition many thousands have won back strong nerves and new health and strength through the new rich blood Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually makes. In a weak or bloodless condition it is not only a waste of time and money, but also a further menace to your health to tinker with common drugs. Follow the example of so many thousands by giving Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial, and they will transform you into healthy, active, men and women.

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The Broad-faced One

A servant was once despatched to purchase a chicken and passing a naturalist's on her way she went in and enquired the price of the broad-faced chicken in the window.

"Oh," said the proprietor, smiling, "that's not a chicken, that's an owl."

"Well," said the maid, "it'll do all right, it's only for the lodger."

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Von Tirpitz's Sympathy

The fine Americans who are telling us all the time that this is a capitalistic war on our part have support and sympathy now from their grand old friend, Admiral von Tirpitz, who started the submarine massacre. In a speech to the reactionaries in Berlin he casually remarked that if the Kaiser and God were to be defeated in this conflict it would be by "Anglo-American capital."—New York World.

Not to Be Caught

Doctor—You are slightly morbid, my dear lady. You should look about you and marry again.

Widow—Oh, doctor, is—is this a proposal?

Doctor—Allow me to remind you, madam, that a doctor prescribes medicine—but he doesn't take it.

The Standardized Ship

Enforcing of Civilized Standards for Housing of Seamen

It is not only the speed with which it is being turned out from the yards that marks the standardized ship, but the increased speed with which it can be worked. The feature of the general arrangements is the very large hatchways which enormously facilitate the loading and unloading of cargo. Supplemented by improved port facilities, such as Lloyd George emphasized in his recent analysis of the shipping problem, it is plain that every ton of shipping will account for a proportion of cargo unattainable before the war. Nor has the human factor been neglected. The principle that the well-being of the worker operates for increased output has been adopted in the construction of seamen's quarters on the new ships. The old tradition that the deep sea sailor may live anyhow and anywhere has been discarded. We read of two-men cabins for the accommodations of the crew, messing arrangements separated from sleeping quarters, a smoking room for the men—and steam heat! One of the permanent results of the war will be this enforcement of civilized standards for the housing of the workers, whether on sea or land, on the cargo carriers or around the factory chimneys and the mine pits.—From the New York Evening Post.

With the Fingers! Says Corns Lift Out Without Any Pain

Sore corns, hard corns, soft corns or any kind of a corn can shortly be lifted right out with the fingers if you will apply on the corn a few drops of freezone, says a Cincinnati authority.

At little cost one can get a small bottle of freezone at any drug store, which will positively rid one's feet of every corn or callus without pain or soreness or the danger of infection.

This new drug is an ether compound and dries the moment it is applied and does not inflame or even irritate the surrounding tissue. Just think! You can life off your corns and calluses now without a bit of pain or sorenes. If your druggist hasn't freezone he can easily get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.

Long Life Now A Moral Question

Physical Improvement Is Altogether in the Hands of the Individual

The physical improvement of the people is a question very much to the fore in these days. Health conventions, all over the land, are being held and our foremost medical men are discussing the problem of disease prevention with scientific thoroughness. The statement is freely made that a large percentage of the ordinary death rate in modern communities is avoidable. A reasonable care about sensible living would increase the average human life, authorities state, by not less than fifteen years within a generation.

Dr. Hanen Emerson, health commissioner of New York, stated to a clergyman of his acquaintance:

"In the conservation of human life men of science have gone about as far as we can get. We have made the facts known; we have shown people what shortens their lives and what will lengthen them. The masses pretty generally know the truth nowadays about the diseases that cut men off before they have lived out a normal term of life—know how those diseases are contracted and know how they can be avoided. What is left is a moral question—not a scientific question at all. It is the question whether men will do as well as they know. Today they see clearly the results ahead if they follow disastrous habits, and yet they keep on with those habits just the same. What they need is not more knowledge or more warnings. What they need is character, backbone, will power—the qualities that carry knowledge into practice. The extension of men's term of natural life lies with the church today much more than it does with the medical profession. It is up to the church to take hold and put into men something that will make them willing and able to live as they know they ought to live."—J. H. Hazlewood, Department of Social Service.

She—Mr. Hoover says that it's much healthier to eat fruit with the skins on instead of peeling it.

He—Humph! I'd like to put him on a diet of pineapples for about a week and then hear what he'd have to say.—Cartoons Magazine.

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Fixing Wheat Prices

The fixed prices of wheat have put the wheat gambler out of business. After the wheat was out of the farmers' hands this summer, the speculator got busy and pushed the price up an extra dollar; the millers promptly put up the price of flour and the bakers boosted the price of bread. The little game is spoiled for the present year by the price-fixing plan. It would bea very fine thing for Canada if the price of wheat could be fixed each year to allow a reasonable profit to the wheat grower and fixed prices on flour and bread. Gambling in food should be made a crime.—Grain Growers' Guide.

No More Asthma. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy sounds the death knell of this trying trouble. It stops the awful choking and painful breathing. It guards against night attacks and gives renewed ability to sleep and rest the whole night long. Much is claimed for this remedy, but nothing but what can be demonstrated by a trial. If you suffer from asthma try it and convince yourself of its great value.

Herr Ballin's Fate

Fallen at last out of favor with the kaiser, Germany's greatest shipping director, Albert Ballin of the Hamburg-American Line, can now survey in all its fulness the tragedy which his master's war has made of his great life-work.

It was to him "an idiotic war," and he said so. He was before the war "winning more trenches every day" for Germany than the kaiser's armies are winning in months, and he said so. His magnificent merchant fleet is now in the use of Germany's enemies or going to pieces in idle and hungry German ports.

The fruits of his genius and long years of labor have been practically wiped out before his eyes, and that anguish of spirit which must be his can win from the autocrat he served only too well no better consolation than a kick.—New York World.

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Another Dream Faded

If Zeebrugge and Ostende have been rendered useless as submarine bases the coast of Belgium loses much of its importance. Once the Germans thought to launch from it an invading expedition against England. But that has faded like many another iridescent dream of the Hohenzollerns.

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Freedom of the Seas

Buccaneers Put Down in the Interest of Freedom

It would be just as rational to insist on freedom of the air as freedom of the seas. The seas are free in times of peace. To have freedom for the ocean thoroughfares as a condition of peace would imply that some nation wanted to use the ocean for an ulterior purpose during the war. There will be freedom that Germany wants. If the German military power, including its navy, is not destroyed, then the allies will be forced to control the seas in their own defense. The very talk of freedom of the seas shows that there can be no peace that is worth while if the German military power remains in control of Germany. When that has been destroyed there will be no question of the freedom of the seas. Commerce will go unvexed where it will. The buccaneers had the freedom of the seas as long as they could maintain it. They were put down in the interest of civilization. German militarism must go the same way.—Rochester Herald.

Member S. P. C. A. (to brutal driver)—No, my friend, I won't shut up. Your poor horse, unfortunately, cannot speak like Balaam's ass, but I would have you know, sir, that I can.—Boston Transcript.

FEWER PEOPLE GROWING OLDER

The Public Health Service reports that more people live to the age of forty years to-day, but from forty to sixty years mortality is increasing from degenerative diseases in the U. S.

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Halloween Party

The Halloween party given by themembers of the Oyen Excelsior Social Club was well attended. The room was tastefully decorated for the occasion everything being in keeping with the memorable night. Quite a large number of people were disguised and it seemed as if all the witches and ghosts which go to haunt the merry were assembled there. As they entered the building they were met by a ghost who conducted them to the witch's cave where the fortune teller peered into the future and told them the good and bad things which were in store for them. After this the masqueraders paraded round the room and the judges after a good deal of deliberation decided on the winner, who was Miss Thelma Dial. Tin prize being given by Mr. J. H. Alexander.

After the judging of the costumes a song was given by Miss Evans which greatly added to the evening's enjoyment. The lights were then turned out and Mr. R. Smith related a ghost story, while some good samaritan at the back of the hall added greatly to its effectiveness by very realistiely imitating the moaning of the wind among the trees.

The guests then received a number with which to find their partner with whom they sat down to supper.

Excel News Items

Mr Hayward of Seattle, Wash., is now managing the Home Elevator here. Mr. frost former manager has been moved to Gartley where he will take charge of an elevator.

Mrs. J. Anderson and Mrs. E. Hoyos entertained quite a number of guests at their home last Saturday night.

The Halloween entertainment give by the Excel Red Cross Society was a greater success than any ever given here. There was an abundance of fun, and the proceeds brought in $175 to the society.

Mr. Fraser Superintendant of the Home Elevator Co. spent a few days here last week, en route for Gartley. During his first night in Gartley elevator he was held up at the point of a gun and robbed of a thousand dollars.

Is your name going down on the piano fund? We certainly need a piano in Excel if we are to have any enjoyment this winter. If everybody helps this long felt need will be supplied. So put your name down for any amount you can spare.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Craig Murray U. F. A. local, held at G. Morris house last Saturday, it was decided to hold a series of social evenings in the Fairing Valley school house during the winter. A special meeting is called for the 17th to complete arrangements, L. Miller's house being the rendezvous.

Local tax payers are very indignant over the Hail Insurance Commission's extra assessment of thirty five cents per acre. If the feeling throughout the entire municipality is the same as here, the death of R. M. hail insurance in these municipalities is assured next fall.

Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Boyce of Arcola, Sask, have moved to this district, having decided to live permanently with their sons, J. and W. Boyce.

Lenord Horncastle, who returned from Estuary, Sask. last week, is erecting buildings upon his farm north of here, he having decided to return to the land.

The Military Service Act, 1917

DON'T DELAY!

Do It TODAY

THE MILITARY SERVICE ACT is passed; the Proclamation issued October 13th. It is now the bounden duty of every man in Class One to report for service or claim exemption. This includes all bachelors and widowers without children (not otherwise excepted) who were 20 years old on the 13th October, 1917, and whose 34th birthday did not occur before January 1st, 1917.

What To Do

Go to your Post Office and ask for the form for reporting for service or for claiming exemption. The form contains clear instructions for filling in. Do this not later than NOVEMBER 10th.

Beware of the Last Minute Rush

With so many thousands of reports and claims to be dealt with, the rush of Class One Men will grow heavier day by day. You will waste less of your time and serve your own best interests if you avoid the inevitable rush on the last days.

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Credit Auction Sale of farm stock and implements belonging to Eric Lindquist of Oyen. The sale will take place on Saturday Nov. 10th. This will be the largest auction sale ever held in this district and without a doubt will draw a large crowd of buyers. B. H. Dial will be the auctioneer

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